

## GIS Day 2008

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The City of Longview in partnership with [Gregg County Appraisal District](#) [2], [Longview Economic Development Corporation](#) [3], the [City of Kilgore](#) [4], and [Stephen F. Austin State University](#) [5] presented an entertaining, educational, fun-filled GIS Day extravaganza at Longview's fairgrounds exhibit building. This year's theme was "GIS Olympics – East Texas Style". Approximately 400 attendees (mostly local students) enthusiastically relished the various games, presentations, and interactive expositions that geographically showcased various Olympics events as well as its history. Some of the day's informative recreational activities included the City of Kilgore's "Where in the World" game, the Metropolitan Planning Organization's "Global Pictometry and Basketball Hoop Shoot", Public Safety Communications' "Wheel of Geography", and the GIS Division's "Nerf Rifle Map Shoot". A diverse assortment of colorful analytical maps adorned almost every available inch of wall space while projectors displayed GIS-related films and images. As an added bonus, SFA's Professor World captivated an appreciative audience with his engrossing geographic knowledge. Ultimately, Longview's GIS Day 2008 was a resounding spectacular success, leaving attendees and participants alike eagerly anticipating next year's planned festivities. – Roger Moser, Jr., City of Longview GIS Data Specialist

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